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Honorable Charles M. Teague House of Representatives Washington 25, D. C.

Dear Mr. Teague:

Referring to your telephone call of January?, I appreciated receiving the document on Outer and Inner Mongolia by Frederick W. Hinks. We are studying the paper here and are planning - if you see no objection, to make contact with Mr. Hinks in Berkeley, California.

I am quite sure the Fred Hinke is the man I knew years ago in the Foreign Service and his father and my father both taught at the Auburn Theological Seminary many years ago.

We have here in this country few enough experts car the Mongolian situation and I should like to add Hinke to the list for consultation from time to time.

Many thanks for bringing this matter to my attention.

Faithfully yours,

SIGNED

Allen W. Dulles
Director

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January 7, 1960

Mr. Allen W. Dulles Director Central Intelligence Agency 2430 E Street, Northwest Washington 25, D. C.

Dear Mr. Dulles:

Enclosed is the document we discussed by telephone this morning. The name of the author is Frederick W. Hinke. Mr. Hinke spent many years in the Orient as, I believe, a Foreign Service Officer. His current address is

I will be very interested in your comments.

Sincerely yours,

CHARLES M. TRAGUE, M. C.

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MEMORANDUM FOR: Mr. Dulles

I find that in the Biographic Register for 1957 that Mr. Hinke is listed as a Class I Career Officer with the rank of Consul. He served in the Foreign Service for about 35 years approximately 19 or 20 of which were at various posts in China.

Would you like to have this sent down to FE Division to prepare comments which you might pass on to Congressman Teague?

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MUNTINGTON D. SMELLON Assistant Director Current Intelligence

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It is extremely difficult to obtain information about Mongolia because of its isolated location. We therefore welcome any reporting on this area.

Of particular interest is Mr. Hinke's observation that Mongol nationalism is a potentially dynamic factor in the behavior of the Mongol people both in Outer Mongolia and Communist China. Our analysts have for some time held a similar view.

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